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**AMENDMENT**

This is in response to the Office Action dated January 5, 2006 (Paper No. 1205, hereinafter referred to as “the Office Action”), in the above-referenced application. This response is being timely filed as a Petition for a two-month extension of time, up to and including June 5, 2006, including authorization to charge fees, is being submitted herewith. Also submitted herewith is a Declaration under 37 C.F.R. §1.132 of Nikolai Graf v. Keyserlingk, Ph.D..

Amendments to and Listing of the Claims begin on page 2 of this response.  
Remarks begin on page 5 of this response.

Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration by the Examiner of all pending claims in view of the following.